

Payette National Forest Supervisor,

I am writing to express my views on Midas Gold Idaho's Stibnite Gold Project.

Too many of these projects across the nation have left a legacy of toxic waste and destroyed environments, with taxpayers being left having to pay millions or billions to clean up after the mining company has run off with their profits.

I want to voice my opposition to the project on the whole, but if it is to go forward the company needs to be held to the strictest standards for safety and waste management and must also be held accountable for the full cost of reclamation and restoration of the area when the project winds down.

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